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ON UP.

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OUR LARGE STOCK. Opposite Depot, Near Postoffice.

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-AT-

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On Up

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\$18.50
AND
ON UP.

EVERYTHING IN LADIES
AND GENTLEMEN'S
FURNISHING
GOODS.

CONWAY

S. B. Saylor is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. J. H. Sigman is greatly improved.

Mrs. M. H. Jordan was in Berea last Friday.

D. C. Pullins is adding an addition to his dwelling.

Jack Mobley has moved from Gap tunnel to Snider.

T. J. Hayes was at Gum Sulphur first of the week.

Ed Sexton and Lee Coffey were in Richmond Monday.

The oil business seems to be a dead issue in this section.

W. D. Kelton was in Richmond and Paris, first of the week.

S. W. Saylor and family arrived from Bell county last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jordan attended church at Wildie Sunday.

Miss Jeanie Hayes has been clerking for her father, T. J. Hayes, this week.

D. C. Pullins raised a very nice crop of tobacco, which is now ready for the barn. He says the quality is extra good.

Bring your telephone poles and cross-ties to Conway, as there is a demand that indicates that our village has put on new life.

Miss Eva, the daughter of J. H. Hayes, was out driving last Sunday when her horse ran away and threw her out injuring her very seriously.

The corn rogues around here had better look out. There is a load of "B" shot waiting for you, and old M. M. is the stuff that will throw it into you.

Mr. A. B. Ealy, of Paint Lick, who has been with D. C. Pullins of this place for some weeks for his health, is much improved and has gone home for a short stay.

A. C. Hiatt, who is doing a flour-

ishing mercantile business at this place, has been keeping an egg record for the last four months, and in that time has bought 3,000 dozen.

FORTUNE FAVORS A TEXAN.

"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c at all druggists.

Dr. Gravely says Albert Hiatt is improving nicely and will soon be able to be out again.

The school at this place is pro-

gressing nicely, under the manage-

ment of H. B. McClary.

J. M. Cress, of Preachersville

bought a nice bunch of hogs of J.

J. Smith and sons at 6½c.

MARETBURG.

Mr. Bert Owens and son, Albert, are sick with malaria fever.

Mrs. B. F. Sutton is in Livingston at her daughters.

Mr. Dick Martin and family visited at Mr. S. H. Martin's, Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Houk has named her boy "Leroy Martin" for its grandfathers.

Geo. Owens, Emmett Cummins, of the stone gang, were at home Sunday.

Aunt Katie Owens is reported very sick. She is the mother of Geo. Owens of this place.

Mrs. Jack McCall, of Glendale, Tenn., has returned home after two weeks visit to relatives at this place.

Logan McCall and little cousins, Claude and Walter McCall, visited at his grand-mother's, Mrs. D. S. Lewis, Sunday.

A protracted meeting will commence here Saturday night Sept. 13th, conducted by Rev. Hartfield. It will be the second Saturday in Sept.

There will be a box supper at the Maretburg church, Saturday September 13th. Everyone is invited. Ladies all please bring a box, and the gentlemen the spare change.

Aunt Jane Burke, who is about 70 years old, has recovered from a severe spell of pneumonia sufficient to do house work, by the good management of Drs. Davis and Pennington.

A PARSON'S NOBLE ACT

"I want all the World to know," writes Rev. C. J. Budlong, of Ashaway, R. I., "what a thoroughly good and reliable medicine I found in Electric Bitters. They cured me of jaundice and liver troubles that had caused me great suffering for many years. For a genuine, all-around cure they excel anything I ever saw." Electric Bitters are

the surprise of all for their wonderful work in Liver, Kidney and Stomach troubles. Don't fail to try them. Only 50cts. Satisfaction is guaranteed by all druggists.

While the president is saying that we have a right to expect from the Government that it will see that the cards are not stacked, the cards are being stacked right along.

The Prodigal--The father in the Bible story, dad, killed the fatted calf for his son.

The Old Man--Yep; but he wasn't

guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial up against no Beef Trust, I reck-

on.

CRAB ORCHARD.

Mrs. G. P. Elam is numbered with the sick.

C. C. McClure is confined to his bed with typhoid fever.

W. E. Perkins is in Louisville buying his stock of fall goods.

Will C. Borders, of Cass, Texas, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. E. C. Borders.

Mrs. J. R. Brooks and bright little girl, Zilpha, have returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Annie Austin, of Lancaster, is the handsome guest of Misses Lizzie and Mattie Beasley.

Miss Clara Collier and brothers have returned from visiting their aunt, Mrs. Sue Holmes, of Stan-

ford.

S. E. Estes and wife and D. J. Smith attended the Tate's Creek Association, which met at Gilead, Madison county.

A. G. Bailey returned Sunday last from a two weeks prospecting tour in Oklahoma. Have not heard how he liked the country.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collier, who have been keeping house for Dan Holman, rented the old Charlie Redd house and moved into it a few days since.

The Crab Orchard band goes to Barboursville today to play for the fair. Expects to go from there to Middlesboro. Will not return for near two weeks.

Mrs. Martha Collins, of Washington, D. C., who has been spending the summer here, will leave tomorrow for her home, but will stop over a few days with friends in Cincinnati.

There will be a reunion of the G. A. R. here on the 11th, 12th and 13th. It will be held on the fair grounds. Crab Orchard will extend a welcome hand to all who may come, the Gray as well as the Blue.

Willie Sigler, son of Mrs. M. V. Sigler and nephew of the Hon. Fontaine Fox Bobbitt, has gone to Sonora, Ga., to learn telegraphy. Willie is quite young, and we

think he is to be highly com-

manded for making an effort to

prepare himself for future usefulness. There are some older boys

in our village that might profit by his example.

It is a waste of time for the Ala-

ma Republicans to invite Senator Beveridge to their State. What

the Alabama Republicans need is a

Coroner, and not a *cooter*.

Land, Stock and Crop

W. T. Davis sold last week to the Indianapolis Abattoir Co. 36 head of cattle, average weight 1,496 pounds, at 6½c. Mr. Davis bought this herd last fall at 4½c, thus more than doubling his money. This is by far the best sale of cattle made here this year. —LaGrange New Era.

Genie Owens, near Hiserville, bought a lot of stock hogs from Oscar Freeman at 7c a pound. Charley Summers, of Hiserville country, sold Clark & Nichols a lot of shelled corn at 75c a bushel. —J. E. Goff, of Hiserville, sold 26 fat hogs to Lazarus & Co. at \$6.40 per hundred. —Glasgow Times.

An exchange says: The mule is an easy animal to raise. He don't eat much as compared to a horse. An energetic mule will make a trip quicker than a horse, though he may not go so fast. The secret of the speed is his uniform gait, steady and persistent. You hardly ever see a sick mule; he seems practically immune from the diseases which attack horses.

CYNTHIANA COURT—A fairly good crowd in attendance; 200 head of cattle on the market, of a fair to medium quality, and all sold with fully fifty cents on the hundred off from last month's sales.

John T. Hedges, of Bourbon, bought 40 head of 900 to 1,000 lb. steers from \$4.47 to \$4.75; E. P. Claybrook 10 head of same kind, \$4.50. Yearling steers \$4 to \$4.30; light weight heifers \$2.65 to \$3.50, according to quality; calves \$1.50 to \$30 per head; milch cows \$25 to \$35. 500 stock ewes \$2 to \$4. Stock shoats 6 to 6½c. Mule colts \$35 to \$40. Demand was fairly good at the prices. Need of rain affected the market somewhat. —Cynthiana Democrat.

J. W. Cannady, of Cane Ridge, sold to Hopkins & Boardman two 1,100 pound steers at 5 cents.

D. G. Taylor, of Elizabeth, sold to Earl Ferguson 175 ewes at \$3 per head. —Wm. Beecraft, of Millersburg, sold to George Morrow 30 head of 970 pound feeders at 5 cents.

John T. Hedges bought 21 head of 1,170 pound feeders of Will Scott, of North Middletown, at 5 cents.

S. T. Clay sold to Jonas Weil 56 1,370 pound export cattle at \$6.25. He also received 73 1,426 pound exporters of John Roseberry, recent purchase; also 40 1,435 pounders, of recent purchase of 100 head of Brice Steele, the remainder to go latter. The

on these was \$6.50. —Paris Kentuckian.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS.
HON. GEORGE G. GILBERT,
OF SHELBY.

H. H. HENNINGER,
Of Wayne county is a candidate for State
Treasurer, subject to the action of the
Democratic party.

The Republican party has been
compelled, by irresistible pressure
of public opinion, to accept the
trust issue, but every fair minded
and unprejudiced man knows that
this issue has been accepted by the
party managers, with a large mental
reservation, merely as a measure
of expediency. The masses
everywhere demand its solution. The
classes, of course, will defend
their special privileges to the last
ditch. But the problem must be
solved. The question then arises:
"Can the Republican party, whose
policies have created all of the
legislation that has created all of
the trusts, and whose political
organization is controlled and domi-
nated by these tariff-fostering cor-
porations, be entrusted with the
solution of the problem?" The
Apostle St. John must have had
this situation in mind when he
prophesied that in the days to
come commercial conditions would
arise when "No man might buy or
sell save he that had the mark or
the name of the Beast." It needs
no prophetic vision to discover in
the trusts the symbolic "Beast" of
the Apocalypse.

A paper was circulated at Lan-
caster Monday, and obtained many
signatures, asking that a primary
be held to make the democratic
nominations in the 13th judicial
district for Circuit Judge and Com-
monwealth's Attorney. The
district committee recently ordered a
convention. It is stated that many
friends of both candidates for the
nomination for Circuit Judge regard
the primary election as a
fairer means of securing the choice
of the people.—Advocate. Correct;
eminently correct. A primary is
the only method by which all the
people can express their choice, the
farmer and others unfamiliar with
the jugglery of conventions being
put on an equal footing with the
politician. In a primary there is
no chance to thwart the will of the
people; in a primary there is no
opportunity to drown the voice of the
people. Our entries are not
afraid of a primary.—Interior Jour-
nal.

Right you are. Let the people
say who the candidates shall be.

CORNELIUS N. BLISS, who was
the custodian of the Republican
campaign fund in 1896, and who
was Secretary of the Interior in
McKinley's first administration, was
forced to resign from the
board of managers of the American
Protective Tariff League because of
the "gone daftness" of that organization
on the tariff question. Mr. Bliss is a high tariff advocate himself, but the views of the league
have become so notoriously extreme that Mr. Bliss withdrew in
order to make his protest as forcible as it is possible to make it.

Wooten says: "A diplomat is a
good man sent abroad to lie for the
benefit of his country." The
trusts say: "A good man is a
phrase maker and smooth politician
who goes among the people to lie
for the benefit of the trusts." Ah
there! General Grosvenor.

Gov. Taft says in his report that
the Filipinos are loyal to the
United States. Yes, as long as the
American boys stand with a rifle
over them.

POLITICS and POLITICIANS

The failure of the Maryland
negro to secure recognition at the
hands of the Republicans has
caused one independent nomination
for Congress, and another is to
follow.

Senator Platt has denied a recent
interview crediting him with the
statement that New York Repub-
licans, at their coming State con-
vention, will endorse the candidacy
of President Roosevelt in 1904.

The Democratic nominations in
Ohio will be practically unanimous
for the Tom Johnson program.
Johnson will be a candidate for
Governor next year, with a view
to running for the Presidency in
1904.

Attorney General Clifton J.
Pratt has filed a mandamus suit in
the Franklin Circuit Court seeking
to compel Auditor Coulter to draw
a warrant in his favor for \$8,404.81,
the amount representing the salary
paid Judge R. J. Breckinridge during
the period he held the office of
Attorney General. The case will
probably be heard at the Septem-
ber term of the court.

The Democratic Congressional
Campaign Book, issued Tuesday,
contains 384 pages, over half of
which are devoted to the discussion
of imperialism and the trusts. A
criticism of the Republican Cam-
paign Book is contained in the
volume, and statistics are given to
show that tariff-protected manu-
facturers sell their wares in foreign
markets at reduced prices.

GRAPS.

BY JET.
The longest pig squeals the most.

The sun's flames spring at times
to a distance of 350,000 miles from
its surface.

There are now 900 newspapers
in Japan. Thirty years ago there
was only one.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan
will lecture at the Palisades Camp
Grounds, High Bridge, on Sunday,
Sept. 14.

Comrade Hanna has talked him-
self into a place where he must
either take out a working card or
lose caste in the ranks of labor.

A remarkable fight took place in
the Zoological Gardens, Perth,
Western Australia, between a tiger
and a lioness. The tiger won after
a fight which lasted twenty minutes.

The Hon. Galusha A. Grow, of
Pennsylvania, is the oldest member
of the Federal House of Repre-
sentatives, having entered it in
1861. He is 78 years of age.
Since 1871 he has been a member
of a Masonic lodge in Philadelphia.

(Printers' Ink.)
Three things are necessary in
an advertisement in order to make
it "pull." The first essential is
that it shall contain some line, or
lines, that shall arrest the attention.
Secondly, it must have matter
in it that will hold the attention
until all of the facts have been
read and digested. Thirdly, it
must give assurance of something
that will be to the advantage of
those who read. These three facts
should be kept constantly in mind
by the writers of advertisements.

"A man to be a good citizen must
first be a good bread winner, a
good husband, a good father—I
hope the father of many healthy
children—just as a woman's first
duty is to be a good house wife and
mother.

"The business duties, the home
duties, the duties to one's family
come first. The couple who bring
plenty of healthy children, who
leave behind them many sons and
daughters fitted in their turn to be
good citizens—such a couple emphatically
deserve well of the State.

"But duty to one's self and to
one's family does not exclude duty
to one's neighbor. Each of us,
rich or poor, can help his neighbor
at times; and to do this he must be
brought into touch with him; into
sympathy with him.

"Every one of us slips on some

occasion, and shame to his fellow
who then refuses to stretch out the
hand that should always be ready
to help the man who stumbles. It
is our duty to lift him up; but it is
also our duty to remember that
there is no earthly use in trying to
carry him. If a man will submit
to being carried, that is sufficient
to show that he is not worth carrying.

In the long run, the only
kind of help that really avails is
the help which teaches a man to
help himself. Such help every
man who has been blessed in life
should try to give to those who are
less fortunate and such help can be
accepted with entire self-respect.—
President Roosevelt.

LEVEL GREEN

Death has been with us again,
claiming as a victim this time our
aged neighbor, Vincent Poynter.

"Uncle Vince" as he was usually
and familiarly called, was in
his 77th year, and though a poor
man he did more for his communi-
ty by both precept and example
than many others under more favorable
circumstances. As old Bro.
Owens remarked in his funeral
discourse; "Uncle Vince never did
anything for show or to create a
noise but was honest in his deals
upright in his walks and Godly in his conversation, an affectionate husband, a kind father,
a charitable neighbor, fearing God
and keeping His commandments—
yes, to come to the conclusion of
the whole, a Christian.

He had been a member of the
Christian Church for about 40
years, always doing his duty the
best he could. He was a democrat
all his life and ever at his post.

He raised three families of children—
12, I think in all, three of
whom were step children, having
been married twice. His last and
surviving wife is a sister to Elder
Martin Owens. Another good man

gone. We have no neighborhood gossip
to report. Everything and everybody seem to be moving on
quietly and in the right way. Road
working and millet harvesting are
the principal occupations now.
Many overseers are putting in
more time than the allotted six
days, and then leave off the work
too soon.

Fodder saving is at the door
with about three-fourths of a crop
of corn.

The hog craze is over, and farmers
have gone to feeding the few
left on hand.

Joe Brown has returned from
Hoosier to his father's house. No
place like home. Will Loge Cum-
mings, who migrated about two
weeks ago, has returned to his na-
tive health. He, too, can testify that
"Ole Cain Tuck" is not by
any means the last, least or worse
place on earth.

Betsy is cooking beans for dinner
today, grown from seed raised this
season. I have eaten a barrel
(5 bu.) of tomatoes, 1,000 roast-
ing ears and drank buttermilk
enough to make a good size lake
this summer, gained 10 lbs of flesh
and both appetite and fat are still
on an upward move. James Craw-
ford is to blame for all of this. I

used a few doses of his wonderful
Elixir of Life on Paul Griffin,
whose health and beauty dis-
appeared six months ago, and Paul is
now young and pretty again.

Another new store is going into
operation at Van Hook. Dr.
Isaacs and Peyton Randolph pro-
prietors.

There are 6 country stores now
in operation within a radius of 2
miles from Plato, and all seem to
be doing good business. How the
people can support so many stores
and run other necessary expenses
is a problem I can't solve.

Many of our people are attending
Somerset fair.

Mrs. Rachel Todd, who has been
on the sick list for some time, is
slowly improving.

J. M. Hurst remains about the
same.

The Baptists are protracting at
Poplar Grove.

The Methodists, with two female
teachers, will sail in at the chapel in
a few days. BUCK VARNON.

NOT DOOMED FOR LIFE.

"I was treated for three years by
goop doctors," writes W. A. Greer,
of McConnellsville, O., "for Piles
and Fistula, but, when all failed,
Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured me
in two weeks." Cures Burns,
Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Eruptions,
Salt Rheum, Piles or no pay.
25¢ at all druggists.

The board of trustees of the M.
E. Church South have named
Rev. A. F. Watkins, of Mississippi,
as agent to raise the \$5,000,000
for superannuated preachers and
their families.

"The Vine street Church of Cin-
cinnati, an institution which has,
for several years past, under the
leadership of the Rev. Herbert S.
Bigelow, been engaged in exactly
the sort of work which you recom-
mend. It is certainly ahead of the
Marion church, as it does not
make belief in God a requisite to
membership. Its roll contains the
names of avowed agnostics as well
as the names of those who are in-
clined to orthodoxy in religious
matters.

"It is probably the only church
in existence in which the discourse
every Sunday is devoted to showing
iniquity in public affairs as well as
in private life, and how it is
possible to secure peace and
justice in this world, leaving the
rest to take care of itself."

Among the "announcement's" kindly
sent by our correspondent are a couple of cards issued by the
Vine street Church. On one of
the cards is printed this extraordi-
nary statement:

"The church of the future will
have no written creed. Its form
of government will be pure dem-
ocracy. No form of dogma will
be allowed to do service for religion.
Religion is love. Worship is useful
and free work."

"Liberty, fraternity, progress, jus-
tice, love—these we hope to be the
ideals of this church, and we claim
for our field of service the entire
life of man, believing the highest
form of worship to be an intelligent
devotion to the good of a
world-wide humanity."

Entering this church, one sees
upon its walls mottoes like these:

"Ye shall know the truth, and
the truth shall make you free."

"Our country is the world; our
countrymen are mankind."

"Life without labor is guilt; la-
bor without art is brutality."

"Far, far beyond our ken, the
eternal laws must hold their sway."

"Those who deny freedom to
others do not deserve it for them-
selves."

"He is true to God who is true
to man."

"We cannot be saved separately;
we must be saved altogether."

"They should be first among all
who contribute most by their labor
to the good of all."

The question arises: Have we
in this Cincinnati church the type
of what all churches are to be,
possibly before the Twentieth
century shall have passed away?

The trend of things is certainly
that way. The ENTHUSIASM
FOR HUMANITY is growing
every day; every day there is less
and less respect for the worn-out
creeds and senseless ceremonies;
and it begins to look as though we
might by and by have a religion
like the one that was preached and
lived by Jesus of Nazareth.—En-
quire.

SPOKES.
1 1/2 on heart, 1 1/4 deep, 28 in. long,
AB grade - \$12.00 per M.
1 1/2 on heart, 1 1/4 deep, 28 in. long,
C grade - 5.00 per M.
1 1/2 on heart, 1 1/4 deep, 28 in. long,
C grade - 5.00 per M.
1 1/2 on heart, 1 1/4 deep, 28 in. long,
D grade - 5.00 per M.
2 on heart, 2 1/4 deep, 30 in. long,
A B grade - 23.00 per M.
2 on heart, 2 1/4 deep, 30 in. long,
C and D grade - 9.00 per M.
2 1/2 on heart, 2 1/4 deep, 30 in. long,
AB grade - 30.00 per M.
2 1/2 on heart, 2 1/4 deep, 30 in. long,
C and D grade - 12.00 per M.

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All AB spokes must be made
from good HEAVY SECOND GROWTH
timber, and all spokes must be
made from good, live hickory, free
from knots, bird-pecks, wind-
shakes and all other defects. We
will accept spokes made from either
scaly or bark-bark hickory, but
we will not take spokes made from
oig-nut hickory.

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SINGLETREE BILLETS.—

2 1/2 on heart, 2 1/4 deep, 46 in. long,
\$35.00 per M.
2 1/2 on heart, 2 1/4 deep, 42 in. long,
28.00 per M.
2 1/2 on heart, 3 1/4 deep, 38 in. long,
23.00 per M.
2 1/2 on heart, 3 deep, 36 in. long,
20.00 per M.

Singletree billets must be made
from good, live forest timber, free
from all defects, and they must be
the same grade of timber as D
spokes.

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79 Call up "No. 79" when you want to communicate with SIGNAL.



TIME TABLE

24 north..... 10:55 a m
26 north..... 1:04 p m
23 south..... 2:00 p m
25 South..... 1:39 a m

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PERSONALS

Twin boys at Jack Abney's.

J. C. Rinehart was here Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Poynter has been quite ill.

Miss Ellen Butner is visiting at Brodhead.

Dr. James Pennington is in from Jackson county.

Steve Owens, of Livingston, was here yesterday.

Mrs. Julia Asbill is visiting relatives and friends here.

T. A. Stewart is at home from Danville for a few days.

Aunt Pop Decker, of Skagg's Creek, is low of paralysis.

U. G. Baker went to Louisville Monday to buy new goods.

Cox Brothers are moving into their splendid new storeroom.

Miss Janie Weber, of Knoxville, is the guest of the Misses Thompson.

William Arnold, who has been sick so long, is improving very slowly.

J. W. Yeapt Wats Brown took in the London fair and two bushels of cold.

Miss Clyde Cass is spending the week here having some dental work done.

R. N. Reynolds, of Memphis Junction, was here Monday to see his sister, Mrs. Estes.

Mrs. Henry Catron has been visiting her father, Mr. Alva Maret, of near Wildie.

Eugene Mullins has returned from Liberty, where he has been teaching a brass band.

Willie Krueger was in Lancaster and Danville Tuesday in the interest of his lime business.

J. A. Wood returned from Louisville yesterday morning, where he had been to buy goods.

S. W. Prewitt has gone to Cincinnati. His family will join him there tomorrow night.

George Parker, of Williamsburg, was here Sunday to see one of our most charming young ladies.

J. A. and Joshua Parrett were here from Moore's Creek, Jackson county, visiting the family of Neal Parrett.

R. A. Whithead was up from Livingston Sunday. Bert is doing a nice business in that thriving little town.

Misses Rica Baker, Marguerite McClary and Risse Williams will leave Sunday for Hamilton College, Lexington.

Dr. Myers is making some excellent photo views of buildings and landscapes, as well as other kinds of photographs.

Mr. C. F. Ratcliffe, of the Mountain Democrat, kindly came to our rescue Wednesday morning to help us through this week's rush.

U. G. Baker and Burdette Whitehead went to Louisville Tuesday to lay in goods for their big stores at this place and Livingston.

Willie Martin, who has been visiting home folks for the past two weeks, will return to Lynchburg, Va., tomorrow. Willie is clerk in his brother-in-law's store, and a good one he is. Honesty, industry and sobriety, all of which he possesses, characterize him as a model young man.

Mrs. M. C. Miller and sons, Scott and Ray, returned yesterday from a visit to relatives at Versailles.

Alex Pennington, one of our printers, has been on the sick list for some weeks. He stayed at the case as long as he could before giving up.

C. C. Williams and D. S. Purdon went to Shelby county Monday to investigate the killing of the latter's brother in a railroad wreck last week.

H. V. Bastin, the electrician for the Bastin Co., Lancaster, will enter Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., to finish up his course in electrical engineering.

Judge Chenault was at Brush Creek from Richmond a few days since. He is well pleased with the way his interests and those of his associates are moving along.

Mrs. Mary Conn left Sunday night for Oklahoma to visit her son, B. H. Conn. She was accompanied as far as Louisville by her daughter, Mrs. John W. Brown.

LOCALS

School Superintendent Ballard visited schools during the week.

Ed Barnes and Miss Eliza Jones were married in the court house yesterday.

Rev. Will Owens, colored, son of Harvey Owens, is in from Louisville to see relatives.

WANTED.—Old iron, 25c. per hundred for it, delivered at HOUK & ADAMS, big brick on Main street, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Those who have not settled their taxes are requested to call at my office during court and attend to same. H. L. TATE, S. R. C.

W. A. Cox and Neal Parrott went to Livingston Wednesday to do some carpenter work for Houk & Adams.

Henderson Jones, the jeweler, has moved his outfit to town, and is occupying one of the windows in D. C. Poynter's store.

Protracted meeting began at the Christian church Sunday under the auspices of Rev. Hartzfield. There were thirteen baptized Wednesday afternoon.

Beasley & Co., Stanford, is the place to buy your nice furniture, carpets, rugs etc., in fact you find everything kept in a first-class furniture store. aug. 29-31.

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The Southern Military Band, of Crab Orchard, passed through Tuesday afternoon en route to Barbourville to furnish music for the Knox county fair, which closes today.

Mrs. J. H. Pearl, of London, received a telegram Tuesday stating that Britt Pigg was dying at Washington, Ind. No further particulars.

The Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church South is in session at London this week. Bishop Morrison presiding. About 150 delegates are in attendance.

H. V. Bastin began stringing an extra wire to Brodhead from Mt. Vernon Monday. Telephone subscribers will soon have the benefit of use of line to that place without extra charge.

The college opened Monday with a fairly good attendance and the assurance of several more, who will enter Monday. The school is in every way in better condition than ever before, and every indication points to a most successful year's work. The encouragement which is due the school from every citizen of Rockcastle county, is all that is necessary to make it what we would all have it be. The principal, Prof. Evers, has secured the very best teachers possible, and every parent who sends his child to this institution of learning can know that the instruction given is only of the very best.

The Rockcastle Baptist Association will meet with the Line Creek church Tuesday, Sept. 9.

One week from Monday is Circuit Court. The editor would be glad to see everyone on that day, who has business with this paper.

Mrs. William Coffee has taken charge of the poor house to fill out the unexpired time of Mrs. S. W. Prewitt, who has gone to Cincinnati.

Two houses and lots for sale or to trade to property in the country. Also strawberry and raspberry plants for sale. Also a few thoroughbred chickens, of six varieties, for sale. S. N. DAVIS, Sept. 5-31 Mt. Vernon, Ky.

FARM FOR SALE.—I have for sale a farm of 127 acres, lying on the waters of Brush Creek, two miles north of Level Green. Good house and outbuildings. Orchard and well watered. Terms easy. For further information call on Henry Catron, Level Green, Ky.

The officers, Messrs. J. T. Williams, R. M. Jackson and E. A. Chilton, of the Laurel County Fair Association, said they proposed to make this year's exhibition excel all previous years, and sure enough they did. The attendance for the three days was near 11,000, while the best attendance of any former time was about 6,000. Good premiums and judicious advertising is what counts.

ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.—The State Board Saturday appointed John W. Brown and G. S. Griffin County Election Commissioners for Rockcastle. The county commissioners, which are made up of a representative each of the Democratic and Republican parties, with the county sheriff as chairman and umpire, are to meet and organize during the month of September and select precinct election officers to serve at the coming November election.

We overlooked, in our last issue, the death of Daniel B. Ballinger, of Climax, who was killed by falling from a railroad bridge near Burnside, Ky. For two years he had been with the bridge carpenters. His faithfulness at all times won for him the confidence and respect of his superiors. The remains were brought back to his old home for burial and laid to rest in the Maret graveyard by the I. O. O. F., of which he was a member in high standing.

CONVENTION.—The Republicans met in the court house last Saturday and selected the following delegates to the convention which met at Nicholasville Wednesday to nominate a Republican candidate for Congress in this district: Isaac Dooley, B. J. and L. W. Burdette, Judge S. D. Lewis, J. T. Adams, W. R. Dillon, Capt. B. N. Roller, W. G. Nicely, Henry and J. J. Wood, Bogie Phillips and P. W. Clark. The Hon. William Lawson Simrall, of Mercer county, received the nomination.

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The free scholarships to the Mt. Vernon Collegiate Institute, which are given each year under the terms of purchase of the building, were awarded to the following, who made the best grades in the examinations held Saturday for that purpose: Mt. Vernon precinct, Miss Fannie McClure; Brodhead, Miss Lida Hilton; Level Green, Eddie Gentry; Livingston, Miss Kitty Poynter; Crooked Creek, Miss Lura Baker. From the county at large, Victor Tate, Scaffold Cane, Roundstone and Walnut Grove precincts were not represented.

LIVINGSTON

Ernest Weaver, of Middlesboro, was here Tuesday.

John Baker, Jr., is attending school at Mt. Vernon.

Walter Gilford and family moved this week to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Wilmoth Poynter is visiting friends at Oswego, Tenn.

Miss Virgie Morris is visiting her parents, near London.

Miss Williamson, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. Will Stark.

J. F. Cooper and Matt Ford have gone to Jellico to work.

Geo. Reynolds was at Mt. Vernon Sunday between trains.

Charles Cooper returned home from Crab Orchard Wednesday.

Ernest Vanardale, of Junction City, is at the Riverside mansion.

Neil Parret and Will Cox, of Mt. Vernon, were in town Wednesday.

Berry Sams, of Darville, Ill., is here to purchase a car load of horses.

Mrs. Minnie Chestnut, of Orlando, visited Mrs. W. J. Childress this week.

James Houk, of Mt. Vernon, was with his many friends here last week.

W. C. Mullins and Shannon McKinney are visiting the Barbourville Fair.

Miss Stella Mullins, of Covington, Ky., is visiting Miss Maggie Sambrook.

Dr. E. J. Brown, of Stanford, was here Tuesday to see Mrs. W. H. Carmical.

Mrs. Mattie Delph and little Frank have returned to their home in Louisville.

Miss Hattie Parsley and Katie Lee Elmore returned home from London Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Singleton will visit her sister at Somerset the latter part of the week.

Mrs. John Magee entertained a few of her friends with an elegant dining Tuesday.

Miss Mary Belle McCarty returned to her home at Lebanon Junction last week.

Mrs. George Reynolds and Cecil have returned from a visit with relatives at Brush Creek.

Mrs. James Bunn, of Lebanon Junction, is visiting Miss Clara Griffin and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carr, of Middlesboro, were the guests of Mrs. W. R. Dillon Sunday.

Miss Maud Hauser, of Mt. Vernon, was the guest of Miss Linda Dillon the first of the week.

Mrs. J. B. Hayes was called to Quail Monday to attend the funeral of her stepfather, Vincent Poynter.

Mrs. Charles Redd and Archie Cooper returned home Sunday from a visit with Mrs. Buck French.

Miss Mattie Sutton, of Maberryburg, and Miss Tyree, of East Bernstadt, are visiting Mrs. Ed Woodall.

Mrs. W. F. Tubbs and little sons, Charlie and Frank Childress, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Hilton, in Knox county.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutter returned to their home at Covington Sunday, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. J. C. Mullins.

Alfred Owens, of Corbin, and brother Steve, of Middlesboro, are visiting their parents, Uncle Ashby and Aunt Ann Owens.

Miss E. M. Doane, of Dayton, Ky., is at the Riverside Mansion. The Episcopal school will open Monday with Miss Doane as teacher.

Squire Poynter and daughter, Mrs. Ida Thompson, were the guests of Mrs. John Preston and Mrs. J. B. Hayes Saturday and Sunday.

Mart Suttles shot himself Monday morning, inflicting a fatal wound in the stomach. His health and family troubles were the cause of the act.

Mrs. Virgie Flanigan, of Missouri, was a guest at the Riverside Mansion Tuesday, on her way to visit her father, J. C. Reppert, near Brush Creek.

Mrs. Sallie Debord Carpenter and son returned to their home at Hamlet, Ill., Saturday, after a visit with Mrs. Susie Mullins, Uncle Ashby Owens and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck French, at their home down the river, entertained over sixty people with an elegant dinner, in honor of their son Elbert's 21st birthday. Among those present were Mrs. J. S. Cooper, Mrs. Chas. Redd, Archie Cooper, Mrs. W. R. Dillon, Jim, Harry and Wix Dillon and others too numerous to mention. Mrs. Cooper baked the birthday cake, and wishes Elbert's birthday would come every month.

COVE

Charles Riddle is on the sick list.

Mrs. G. A. Proctor sold to W. C. Johnson a mule colt for \$25.

Wm. Evans sold to W. T. Sharp one match case for \$22.50.

Frank Dooly, of Climax, was visiting relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary A. Langford, of Crooked Creek, was visiting relatives here and at Brodhead last week.

Richard Halcom has leased D. L. Carter's farm and moved to it.

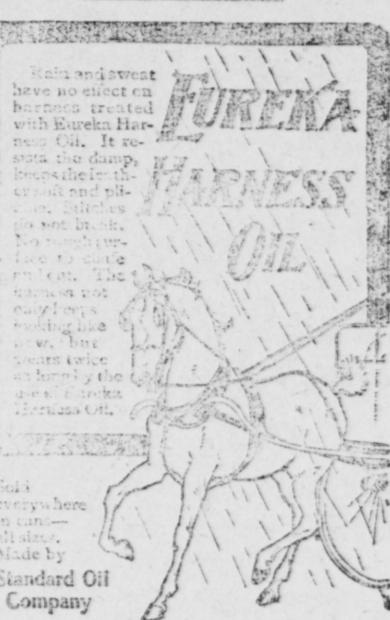
W. T. Clark has traded his farm to Wm. Evans for his property at Orlando.

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT

D. C. POYNTER, Adm'r., vs. P. F. vs. J. Notice.

JEROME ADAMS, &c., Deft. Notice is hereby given that I will, on September 12th 1902, hold sittings in my office in Mt. Vernon, Ky., to hear proof of claims against the estate of David Adams, deceased, and all persons holding such claims against said decedent, must present their claims on that day, properly proven.

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